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NEWS RELEASE

Ray Nitschke Memorial Bridge (US 141, Main Street) to Temporarily Close

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The Green Bay Public Works Department is announcing the temporary closure of one bridge crossing the Fox River, the Ray Nitschke Memorial Bridge (US 141, Main Street), for a weekend long special event. At 8 PM on Fri Aug 5, the bridge will be closed to vehicular traffic with a scheduled reopening at 6 PM on Sun Aug 7.

The bridge will be closed west of the Fox River on Dousman St at Broadway, and will be closed east of the Fox River on Main St at Washington St. Main St and Dousman St traffic will be detoured across the Fox River over the Donald A. Tilleman Bridge (WIS 54, Mason St) via Ashland Ave, Mason St, and Monroe Ave.

Although the Walnut Street Bridge will remain open to traffic, motorists should anticipate backups and may want to use alternate routes, as temporary lane closures along E Walnut St will remain in place over the weekend for an ongoing roadway project.

Access to residences and businesses will be maintained at all times. Bridge lifts will continue to occur as normal and as needed for river traffic and pleasure craft.

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